Brown Bag Series: Blueprint for Business Success

May 14, 2014

**FACILITATOR: Kalispell Police & US Secret Service Agent Downs** 

**TOPIC:** Identity Theft: How to avoid becoming a victim.

Agent Downs is a graduate of Michigan State University with a Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice. After college he worked in private security until becoming a Virginia State Trooper. For the past 17 years Agent Downs has been with the United States Secret Service and is currently assigned to the Missoula Montana Office. During Agent Downs' service he has worked out of the Washington Field Office in Washington D.C. and he was assigned to President George W. Bush's security detail from 2001 to 2005. He was selected to the Counter Assault Team (CAT) which is a full time tactical unit assigned to the president and other dignitaries when they travel to high risk countries.

Most recently and the topic of his presentation today- Fraud, Special Agent Downs worked with the recent URM sales breech that took place involving grocery stores throughout the Northwest. He also worked a recent mortgage fraud case involving over 100 victims with a loss of 2.4 million dollars.

Agent Downs is a tremendous asset to the Kalispell Police Department and local law enforcement.

Who should attend? Employers interested in growing and evolving more effective organizations. Why?

- Utilizing all available resources to operate and grow makes for smart business.
- Exchanging ideas, insights, and real-world solutions directly impacts your bottom line.
- Making better decisions quickly requires more and better information
- Engaging and energizing your staff helps make your business more successful.

**Date:** Wednesday, May 14, 2014

**Time:** Noon -1:00 pm

**Location:** FVCC Arts & Technology Bldg, Room 139

**Cost:** No cost!

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